

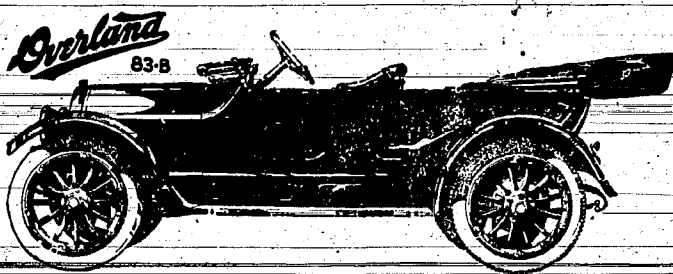


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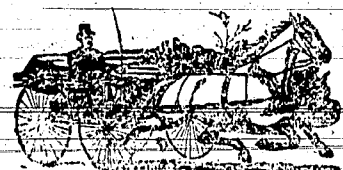
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## TOWNSHIPS NOMINATE OFFICERS.

### GRAYLING HASTHREE TICKETS IN FIELD.

Contests in all Townships Except Lovells and Maple Forest.

This week saw the close of nominations for township officers in the various townships of the county. In nearly all there will be contests and in Grayling there will be three tickets.

Following are the tickets nominated thus far reported:

#### Grayling Township.

REPUBLICAN.  
Supervisor—Melvin A. Bates.  
Clerk—Abraham J. Joseph.  
Treasurer—Hilger Hanson.  
Justice of the Peace—Geo. Mahon.  
Highway Commissioner—Leonard Isenbauer.  
Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—Peter L. Brown.  
Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—Henry Stephens.  
Member of Board of Review, full term—Thorwald W. Hanson.  
Member of Board of Review, to fill vacancy—Emil Kraus.  
Constables—William J. Miller, M. Brenner, Henry Joseph, Chris Jensen.  
Township committee—M. A. Bates, chairman; Charles A. Gahfield, and Marius Hanson.

DEMOCRATIC.  
Supervisor—Nels O. Corwin.  
Clerk—Tony Nelson.  
Treasurer—George W. McCullough.  
Justice of the Peace—Ed. G. Clark.  
Highway Commissioner—Peter F. Jorgenson.  
Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—Rasmus Rasmussen.  
Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—Henry Feldhauser.  
Member of Board of Review—Walter Jorgenson.  
Constables—Ed. Stillwell, Julius Nelson, Hugo Schreiber, Johannes Rasmussen.  
Township Committee—Walter Jorgenson, chairman; John Hinn and Charles O. McCullough.

PROHIBITION PARTY.  
Supervisor—Nels O. Corwin.  
Clerk—Frank Sales.  
Treasurer—James Jorgenson.  
Justice of the Peace—William Cullough.  
Highway Commissioner—Peter F. Jorgenson.  
Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 1—Rasmus Rasmussen.  
Overseer of Highways, Dist. No. 2—John Stepha.  
Member of Board of Review—R. D. Conning.  
Constables—Frank May, Peter E. Johnson, Leonard Isenbauer, Leon Rabbitt.  
Township Committee—William McCullough, chairman; John A. Holliday and Frank Deckrow.

FREDERIC TOWNSHIP.  
REPUBLICAN.  
Supervisor—Charles Craven.  
Clerk—Roy R. Kline.  
Treasurer—Charles S. Barber.  
Highway Commissioner—Norman Fisher.  
Justice of the Peace, to fill vacancy—Wallace S. Ritter.  
Justice, full term—Louis A. Gardner.  
Member of Board of Review—Chas. Z. Horton.  
Overseer of Highways—Geo. Horton.  
Constables—Frederick McDermald, Sidney Sedgman, Harry Higgins, John Lanniman.  
Township Committee—Jas. A. Kalahar, chairman; L. A. Gardner and C. S. Barber.

SOCIALIST.  
Supervisor—Floyd Goshorn.  
Clerk—Harry Crum.  
Treasurer—Jas. A. Leighon.  
Highway Commissioner—B. Peter Johnson.

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## Play and Play Grounds.

(Paper read at the last Mothers' club meeting by L. C. Bundgaard, teacher of gymnastics in the Grayling schools and also in the Danish Gymnasium.)

I am pleased of having the opportunity of speaking to you about play and play grounds. I understand that the Mothers' club wants to work for things that are good and noble and indeed we need many such people here in Grayling, who dare to stand up and demand clean and worthy surroundings to live in.

Last summer, while in Chicago, I had the opportunity to see what that city has done for its children and I was fortunate to come in close contact with the work done by the Play Ground and Recreation association of America. Every time I went home from one of these play grounds, where hundreds of happy children enjoyed play under good supervision, I saw a picture before me of a happier, stronger, and cleaner man and womanhood and I said to myself: "I am going to work for some of these good things when I get home to Grayling."

I think it is time that the child is the father of the man. Are we dreaming of a better future? Then let us begin with the child. It was said about David, that he was cunning in playing and wise in words. Can we say that about the majority of our young people? No.

I have seen some of the children play in Grayling, and I wish we could teach them to play. I wish we could teach a child to be a child. Show me a child—a youth, that can play well and I will tell you what he is.

You may ask me—why teach a child to play? Altho I am not an expert in playing with children I shall try to answer the question. Watch a child around the sixth year and you will find that he is either running around making all the noise he can, or he is busy on the sidewalk filling a bottle or tin with stones, for the next instant to empty the whole thing on the front steps. What we want to observe here is not the dirt, (to a child everything is clean) but it is the material.

Here is something, even in the child's hand, that forms into bridges. It is the instinct of construction. It is the instinct of becoming a man that is being expressed thru play. Let me say right here that the instinct to be a man should be in view thru all play. And then, if we can get boys to girls to understand that the material in which they should work is themselves. It is their own soul and body that is worth their best efforts.

Then we, some day probably, will have men and women, who will put their honors in what they are inside and not what they put on the outside.

I think it's safe to say that play is not something a child likes to have, but it is something he must have if he is ever to grow up. It is more than an essential part of education; it is an essential part of the law of his growth, of the process by which he becomes a man at all.

We cannot watch a child playing without seeing that the thing he is doing is very serious to him. Watch a baby trying to put a toe into his mouth or watch him climb a chair, and you will find by the way he looks that it is a very serious thing. In fact, play of children is not play at all, in our grown-up sense of the word. It's true that some children cannot play—they do what to real children is fooling.

What happens if play is not supervised? Let me give a few examples: some boys in Pittsburg had been arrested for throwing stones at a passenger train in the ravine below; they had the instinct for throwing, but it was not supervised.

A little boy was brought to the juvenile court in Chicago, because he had been stealing apples. He was warned and let go. Again he was brought to the court. The probation officer took the boy aside and said: now Sonny, tell me honest, why do you steal these apples, do you get so hungry that you just can't help it? The boy looked a bit surprised, hung his head.

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## MAN AND HIS WIFE PRAISE TANLAC.

Both Have Used Medicine And Both Have Been Greatly Benefitted.

Eugene Cagney, a prominent farmer, living on North Allegan Road, Allegan, is very enthusiastic about Tanlac. The reason for this is that he and his wife have both used the medicine and have been greatly benefited by it. Not long ago he said:

"Tanlac has given me relief from indigestion and stomach disorders and that too in a very short time. Both my wife and I used the remedy and both can speak of it in the highest terms. We consider Tanlac the finest stomach remedy ever made."

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## VILLAGE ELECTION.

R. D. Conning Running on Slip Wins by One Vote.

The Grayling Village election, Monday, sprung a surprise that even yet is hard to realize. As usual there was but one ticket in the field—a union Citizens' ticket—and those who were not looking for a contest were taken unawares.

The trouble started Monday morning, when the fire department at the Henry DeWaele fire found the hydrants frozen. Charles Amidon went to President Hans Petersen and gave him a cussing for not seeing that these matters were properly cared for. This work is looked after by Julius Nelson, street commissioner, and he is expected to examine all hydrants twice a month during the freezing season. Mr. Nelson claims that February 26th he examined every hydrant in the city and found them all to be in good condition. Others claim that they have been watching some of the hydrants and that they know they haven't been opened at any time this winter. The fact pertaining hereto the Avalanche does not assume to know. We have heard parts of two sides of the story and so has about everybody in town, so there is no use to discuss the matter in these columns.

This started matters and as it happened to be election day, votes were urged for Mr. Conning, with the result that when the votes were counted they stood 59 to 49 in favor of Mr. Conning.

It appears that the criticism was not so much with President Petersen as with some of his appointed officers. There is probably no business man in Grayling who attends the council meetings any more regularly than the writer of this article and in fairness to Mr. Petersen we can justly say that affairs at the meetings are handled in a businesslike and fair manner.

There is no question about the ability of Mr. Conning. He is a successful business man and has had years of experience as a member of the village council and will make a good president.

Naturally Mr. Petersen is a little hurt over the way that the affair was handled. But few voters ever vote at this election, as there has in the past been but one ticket in the field, and no body was looking for a contest. The normal vote should be about 300 while at this election there were only about 100 votes cast. At most village elections, the votes run from 15 to 30.

The remainder of the ticket was elected without any opposition, and is as follows:  
President—R. D. Conning.  
Clerk—Thorwald P. Peterson.  
Treasurer—M. Hanson.  
Assessor—James W. Sorenson.

Trustees—Frank H. Milks, Walter Jorgenson and Dr. Chas. A. Camfield.

## H. DEWAELE HAD ANOTHER FIRE.

Family Driven Out of Baker House by Fire Starting in Basement.

It seems that the fire element has had a grudge against Henry DeWaele and son Charles. Last week Tuesday night they lost a part of their grocery stock in a fire in the Nels Olson building, and Monday morning fire was discovered in their home, the Mrs. Lucille Baker residence.

The blaze probably started from the furnace or from an over-heated laundry stove in the basement, and the flames came belching thru the floors before they were discovered.

To make matters worse the fire hydrant on the opposite corner was frozen and the hose had to be transferred to the A. Taylor corner, two blocks in an opposite direction. This gave the fire a chance to get a better start and smoke was coming from the roof before water arrived. The flames spread to the ends of the gable and practically gutted one end of the building, which, altho not a total loss, is nearly so.

The greater part of the contents of the house were successfully removed and Mr. DeWaele and family are moving their household goods into the James Overton house on McClellan street, near Mercy hospital. They lost a quantity of their goods in the fire, besides breakage in removing and handling, which losses were not covered by insurance.

The building was the property of Mrs. Lucille Baker, formerly of Grayling but now of Bay City. This was partly covered by insurance. A number of pieces of furniture and other household articles, belonging to Mrs. Baker, were in the building and were mostly all burned.

Mr. DeWaele thinks two fires in one week is more than their share and we quite agree that one in a life time would be about all most of us could stand.

**How to Prevent Croup.**  
When the child is subject to attacks of croup, see to it that he eats a light evening meal, as an overloaded stomach may bring on an attack, also watch for the first symptom—hoarseness, and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse. Obtainable everywhere.

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## WHERE BANDIT VILLA MADE RAIDS ON AMERICAN PROPERTY IN NEW MEXICO



- 1—Where Villa and his band crossed boundary and attacked town of Columbus, N. M.
- 2—Villa raiders reported to have again crossed boundary west of Columbus.
- 3—Thirteenth United States cavalry pursues Villa raiders 15 miles south of boundary.

## PRESIDENT WILSON AGREES TO LET CARRANZA SOLDIERS CROSS BORDER

American Government Entered Into A Formal Agreement With The Carranza Government To Let Soldiers Cross Border

## ARMED INTERVENTION OF MEXICO IS POSSIBLE

Plans For Troop Movements Have Gone Forward Without Regard To The Diplomatic Exchanges; U. S. Forces Waiting To Advance

Washington—The United States government entered into a formal agreement with the Carranza government of Mexico under which American troops will cross the border to hunt down Villa and his bandits with the expectation of hearty co-operation from the Carranza forces.

Secretary Lansing made public the text of a note accepting General Carranza's proposal for a reciprocal arrangement between the two governments, and announcing that the United States held this arrangement to be now in force and binding upon both parties.

General Funston will leave on his task under this agreement. Official announcement was awaited that the American force had crossed the border. Plans for the troop movements have gone ahead without regard to the diplomatic exchanges.

"Mr. Lansing also made public a statement issued in the name of President Wilson reiterating that every step being taken by the administration was based on the deliberate intention to preclude the possibility of armed intervention in Mexico.

Allows Troops To Enter.

San Antonio, Texas—Just when United States troops will be ordered to enter Mexico was uncertain Monday. General Funston said preparations are going on despite the Carranza's notification to the Washington government that he would not consent to American troops entering Mexico unless Carranza troops were allowed to enter the United States.

It was officially announced that Brig. Gen. John J. Pershing will command the expeditionary forces.

Gen. Funston said he had received notification from Washington to hold back the expedition while negotiations were being completed with Gen. Carranza.

Carranza's Threat.

Refusing to tolerate American troops in Mexico unless the U. S. allows Mexican troops in America for similar purposes, should it become necessary, President Carranza of Mexico says:

"I am sure that I interpret in this matter the national sentiment, and that the Mexican people will comply in a dignified manner with their duty to be the sacrifices what they may be to sustain their rights and sovereignty. If, unfortunately, this drags us into a war—a war which the United States can never justify.

London—It has been announced officially at the British admiralty that the mercantile fleet auxiliary *Faure*, 2,644 tons gross, sank after striking a mine off the east coast of England. Fourteen members of the crew were lost.

Paris—J. B. Osborne, American consul at Havre, in his report to Washington on the sinking of the Norwegian bark *Silvia*, is understood to bring out clearly that the *Silvia* was torpedoed by a submarine without warning.

Gavira said he believed that Villa is now headed for the mountains of the Santa Ana district to the south of Galeana. This has long been Villa's headquarters and he is believed to have food stores and munitions secreted there. To reach this place, Gavira said he would merely have to follow up the bed of the Santa Maria river, which he is said to have now reached.

Has Sufficient Force

San Antonio, Tex.—A sufficient force is now gathered at the Mexican border under the command of Brigadier General John J. Pershing to begin the pursuit of Francisco Villa. It was announced Monday night by Major General Frederick Funston. The general said that only the completion of plans for backing up the expeditionary force now was needed. He was not committed, however, as to the time necessary to accomplish this.

Late Monday night General Funston said the expedition would not get under way Tuesday morning. He characterized all rumors that troops already were in Mexico as absolute falsehoods. Reiterating previous statements, he said it would be useless to send anything but a strong, well-prepared force into Mexico.

That the force will be a strong one was indicated by a statement of the general that the expedition was organized there would be only six or eight regiments other than those on the border. But in the United States, this did not take into account troops in the canal zone and the Philippines. Outside of mentioning two or three scattered movements the general refused to give any definite idea of the size of the expedition.

He said the Twenty-third Infantry, stationed at Galveston, was expected to leave for the west that part of the First cavalry had left San Francisco for the east and would pick up the rest of the detail at San Diego, and that the Second cavalry, at Fort Robinson, Neb., had been ordered to start but was being delayed by lack of rolling stock.

To General Pershing will be left the final disposition of the expeditionary force. Orders will be issued for the forward movement by General Funston at Port San Houston, but the hour when they will be executed will be decided by the general in the field.

Two hundred horses also are to be purchased at once to complete the cavalry quota of mounts. These will be dispatched to the border as fast as they are obtained.

Use of National Guards.

Washington—Attorney General Gregory, in a ruling made some months ago, when a similar question was raised, held that National Guardsmen cannot be used for service on foreign territory without first enlisting in the United States army.

The circumstances of the present affair, it is maintained at the department of justice, do not in any way alter the situation in so far as the National Guardsmen are concerned.

This much is conceded: Had New Mexico National Guardsmen been at Columbus when Villa made his raid they might not only have resisted him, but they might also have followed the hot trail in pursuit of him.

"A National Guardsman is not a soldier of the United States. He therefore can have no military business on foreign soil. A National Guardsman in N. Mex. save on a 'hot trail,' would have no more status than would one of Villa's brigands in the United States," department heads rule.

The Guard can, however, they say, be sent to the border to patrol and wait for an opportunity for a "hot pursuit."

Beginning of Intervention

Washington—The conviction is growing in official circles that the American expedition into Mexico to capture Francisco Villa means the beginning of intervention.

Reports of a decidedly disturbing character concerning the attitude of the Carranza government are beginning to arrive.

Throughout these reports the threat appears that within 24 hours after the expedition has gotten well under way all Mexico will be in arms against the United States.

What attitude Carranza personally assumes appears from these reports to be negligible.

With his government already tottering, it is declared that any promises of non-interference or co-operation which he may make are unlikely to bind his followers. Rumors of plots among these followers to overthrow him have been reaching the state department in increasing number.

Talking privately those through whose hands these reports have passed express the view that one of two things is going to happen. Either Carranza will find himself forced by popular opinion to resist the invasion or his followers will ignore him and lead the resistance. There is growing suspicion that General Obregon is said to have given ear to the suggestion that he himself should be in Carranza's place.

Private advices from the border describe American refugees arriving at El Paso from Chihuahua city as declaring that the Carranza garrison there has taken up the cry of "death to the Gringos." Carranza officials are declared to have openly stated that American troops will not be permitted to pass through the town.

East Jordan board of trade has reorganized with a membership of 125.

## FEATURES OF THE VILLAGE ELECTION

THE VOTE WAS LIGHT IN MOST OF THEM—NORTHVILLE SHOWING STRONG FOR THE "DRYS".

WETS CARRIED REDFORD

Some Chose the Commission Form of Handling Their Affairs, Bonding and Franchises Were Also Features.

Detroit—There were elections in many of Michigan's villages Monday for selection of officers for the ensuing year. There were few real contests for village officers and only in those where other matters came to the electors for decision by ballot, such as bonding, franchises, etc., does the voting show more than a light vote.

Northville chose a "dry" majority on its council, thus assuring for another year a continuance of its no liquor regime. It was the most spirited election in the history of the village. With bonfires and the ringing of church bells, residents celebrated their "dry" victory. Charles Filkins, the "dry" candidate, defeated Dr. Thos. Henry for village president. The "drys" also won the trusteeships. There was a record of 228 ballots cast. Nearly every business man and manufacturer of Northville toiled all day long in the interest of a "dry" victory.

The principal feature of the Highland Park election was the proposal for city reincorporation which was defeated heavily. Three of the five precincts indicated the passage of the \$250,000 sewer bond proposal.

Birmingham by a large vote, decided in favor of a commission form of government.

There was only one ticket named at Rochester.

Only 37 votes were cast in Farmington for the one ticket in the field.

Aucuses took the place of elections in St. Clair to be voted in April. The village will also vote at the April election on a franchise for a railroad for the Diamond Crystal Salt Company.

Despite their efforts the "drys" lost Redford. The most votes cast for any candidate on the no-liquor ticket was 22. While the polls were open the church bells rang out to the accompaniment of a band.

By a vote of three to one residents of Royal Oak passed the proposal for revising the village charter. This paves the way for commission government.

GETTING AFTER TREASURERS

Saginaw Demands Return From County Treasurers For Nineteen Years.

Saginaw—Prosecuting Attorney Bird J. Vincent Monday placed the hands of Sheriff George H. Suberland and the demands for the payment to the county of the money personally received by county treasurers as interest on public moneys during the last 19 years. The total of the money received by the treasurers is named in the demands as \$35,545.42, which is divided as follows: Present County Treasurer Christian Gugel, \$1,203.13; former Treasurers, Hilen F. Paddock, \$9,850.74; James A. Griggs, \$9,507.39; Fred W. Kent, \$3,579.26; Washburn Horning, \$7,087.75; and James Green, \$2,427.15.

TO CHANGE DEMURRAGE CODE

Hoping to Relieve the Freight Car Shortage of the Country.

Detroit—Traffic Commissioner A. T. Waterfall, of the Detroit Board of Commerce, says the American Railway association proposes an increase in the demurrage rate and abrogation of the average agreement. Since the meeting before the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, March 6 and 7, the American Railway association has notified the National Industrial Traffic League that it is in order to relieve the car shortage by carrying proposals to advance the demurrage rates to the \$1.33 and \$1.50 basis, hoping that cars will be released more promptly.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

Frank Van Dusen, a paroled convict, is under arrest at Newberry, Mich., and will be returned to prison. Van Dusen was arrested for threatening to kill his wife.

George E. Hamilton, Marquette's famous lawyer-prisoner, has fled to the attorney-general that he is appealing from the decision of the state supreme court to the federal court of appeals at Cincinnati.

Participation of the state highway department in the building of a bridge across the Menominee river between this state and the state of Wisconsin is blocked by a decision of Attorney General Fellows, who hold that the building of the bridge or the assumption of a portion of it would be exceeding authority.

Ernest Harrison, formerly of Saginaw, died somewhere in France, March 3 of gunshot wounds received fighting with English forces. The Sunday before he died a brother, Fred, left for Toronto to join the Canadian army.

Under the auspices of the Welfare league of South Park, Port Huron, a manufacturing district, a petition has been signed by nearly 200 asking the city commissioners to refuse to issue a liquor license next month to any applicant for a saloon.

## MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

Flint is to increase its police force by twenty more men. Tri-Mountain Mining Co.'s stamp mill burned Monday with a loss of \$200,000.

Four men and two boys were arrested in a raid on the Commercial hotel, Albion, Sunday, and several gallons of liquor were confiscated.

There are 624 prisoners in the Ionia state reformatory, which is the largest number ever cared for since the justice courts were prohibited from sending hoboes there.

About 400 cases are listed on the March term of the circuit court in Adrian. Of this number 225 are old cases dating back to the early terms of court practice.

Frank Lieske, serving a term in Marquette for murderous assault on Detective Frank Wilkinson, of Detroit, was refused a writ of certiorari by the supreme court.

Herman L. Hartenstein, promoter of the Citizens' Light & Power Co. of Constantine, was acquitted by a jury on a charge of obtaining property under false pretenses.

City commissioners have appropriated \$150 to the Adrian Associated Charities, assuring the continuance of that organization and the centralized plan of assisting the poor.

Tentative plans for the formation of a company to exploit the salt beds about Alpena have been formed, following the heavy advance in the price of potash products since the war.

Assistant Postmaster Suel H. Hudson, who celebrated his fifty-seventh birthday anniversary recently, has completed nearly forty-two years of steady work in Allegan as a postal employee.

Funeral services were held in Traverse City Monday for Sergeant Frederick Trouvin, 36, of Co. K, United States infantry, who died in El Paso, Texas. Relatives do not know the cause of death.

In a fit of anger, Oscar Richards, 25, a woodsman, of East Jordan, shot his wife, aged 29, twice, then turned the revolver on himself, inflicting a wound near the right temple. Mrs. Richards probably will live. Richards' condition is critical.

The boarding class of M. A. C. during the past three months, according to reports made out today, fed students at an average cost of 13 cents a meal. The highest rate in any of the clubs was \$2.47 a week. The lowest was \$2.20, the average \$2.67.

Charlotte has a "Jack the Peeper" and, at present most of the women in the second ward do not dare to go out of doors without a body guard. This mysterious man has been seen in all parts of the city for several weeks, but efforts to catch him have failed.

The search instituted several days ago for Roy Vanorman, wanted on a charge of arson, ended at the Ionia reformatory, where Vanorman was found serving time. Officers discovered that he was sent up from Calhoun county some time ago for theft.

Tilman Scheepel, of Holland, has the distinction of being one year older than his grandmother. Scheepel's grandfather, Thomas Vandenbosch, took out a license to wed Miss Gertrude Nyboer and the ceremony was solemnized in Grand Haven. Vandenbosch is 72 years of age and his bride is only 18.

Jacob Steffer, postmaster of Lake Linden and former city clerk and justice of the peace, who waived examination in Calumet court on charge of embezzlement and forgery, preferred by Lake Linden officials on the allegation that he made away with \$11,000 while clerk, claimed entire innocence and declared he is "being made the goat."

The Methodist Episcopal and Congregational churches at Lawrence have challenged the churches of Hartford to enter into a friendly contest to determine which town can have the greatest church attendance. The contest will run for four weeks, the decision to be based upon the percentage of the population attending church in each town.

Sixty boys of Albion had on display, 100 bird houses of all sizes, shapes and descriptions, at an exhibition held under the auspices of the Federated Women's clubs, which had offered many attractive prizes for bird houses. Nearly all of the boys' handiwork was purchased by citizens, and will be placed in various parts of the city to attract song birds.

"Good-bye, mama, we are going to play horse and meet papa," said Raymond Honechka, five years old, of Sault Ste. Marie, as he harnessed up Victor, three years old. A little later the father came home, but he had seen neither of the children. A search disclosed the missing lads in an old well. Both of them had drowned. Little Victor had evidently pulled Raymond in after him, as the latter clung to the lines in an effort to save his brother.

With the determination of pushing a movement which will result in the employment of a farming expert in Barry county, 100 representative farmers of Barry county met in Hastings and formed the Barry County Farmers' federation.

Carefully removing his mystic shrine pin from his coat, C. B. Colburn, real estate dealer of Berlin, Mich., slashed his throat with a razor and died on the floor of a room in a Grand Rapids hotel. Worry over business affairs is said to have prompted the act.

H. H. Hines, wealthy farmer of Stanton, has been arrested by humane officers charged with neglecting horses and stock on his farm.

Two sons of Robert Schram, 5 and 7 years old, burned to death Monday when their farm house at Scott's Bay, on Mullet lake, was destroyed. The father arose early and built a big fire, as the morning was bitterly cold. When he returned from the barn, after doing the chores, the house was blazing. Mrs. Schram saved two small children who were sleeping in her bedroom.

## DRINK A GLASS OF REAL HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST.

Says we will both look and feel clean, sweet and fresh and avoid illness.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acids and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, biliousness, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness, others who have yellow skins, blood disorders and slightly complexion are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

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## COMB SAGE TEA IN FADED OR GRAY HAIR

If Mixed with Sulphur it Darkens so Naturally Nobody can Tell.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. When ever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By using any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. It is so easy to use. You simply draw a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful. This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

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# Features of Fashion

By JULIA BOTTOMLEY



One Thin Fabric Over Another.

It must be a great pleasure to those who create beautiful things for fair women to look their fairest in when a commission is given them to make party gowns. With fancies unhampered by any considerations except that of beauty they are at liberty to make apparel that does not seem to belong to this workaday world—and they do. One of these dreams come true is portrayed above. The camera shows that the artist has made the most of embroidered net and georgette crepe in an adorable gown, which is so simple the wonder is that someone else did not think of it too. But each gown tells its own story, a little different from any other. Therefore where the discourse is of party frocks it is unending and always "to be continued."

Transparent materials are the delight of modistes because they make opportunity to play with color. Frocks in the order of that shown here are made in combinations of two or three colors. Blue and green, blue and pink, white and maize, and any number of others less familiar have been used in the seductive gowns and airy fabrics designed for the new season. Georgette crepe is used with lace and with net; sometimes two nets are combined, and in white gowns especially, net and lace are liked together.

The underskirt in the gown pictured is made of two sections of embroidered net flouncing, moderately full and without draping.

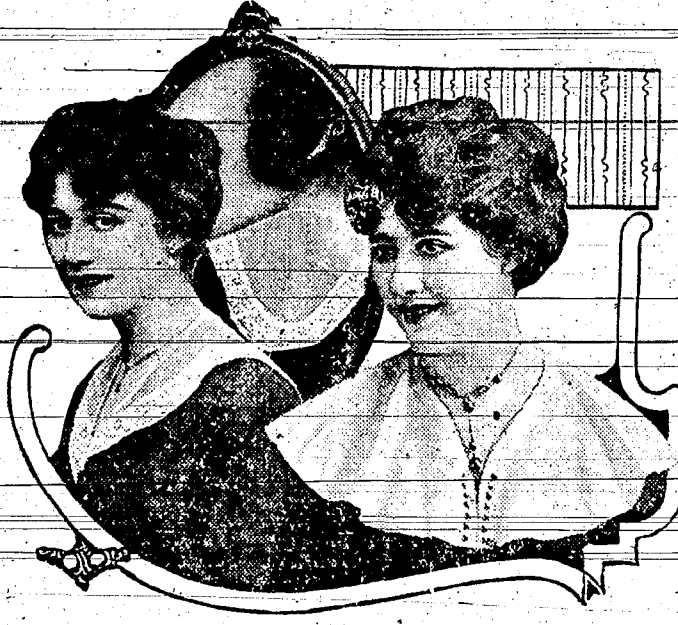
An underbodice (over a short foundation of thin silk) is also made

capable about as practical as neck wear made of sheer cottons. The cape pictured is cut to fit about the neck and to ripple at the shoulders. Its edge is hemstitched, and small satin-covered buttons are set in a row at each side of the front. It is a very becoming little accessory, and quite as attractive when made of organdie as it is in silk.

A cape-collared is shown in two views at the left of the picture. It is made of georgette and finished with a lace banding about the edge. It is narrow at the front, where it slopes to a long point. Similar collars, made without lace, and finished at the edge with hemstitching and very elegantly decorated with one or two rows of hemstitching, are set in near the edge. The same neat effect is secured by inserting extremely narrow lace in the collar and finishing the edge with an equally narrow hemstitching.

Considering these styles, one might think that high collars have suffered a total eclipse, but this is not true. The mode appears to have compromised on collars high at the back and open at the front. In suits and frocks these are conspicuous, and in many of them a narrow band of the material extends across the throat, from one side of the high collar to the other, where it fastens. Fashion appears loath to give up the smartness of the high collar, but anticipates their defeat in warm weather.

There are many varieties of the cape collar, some of them with cuffs



Handsome Little Accessories.

of the flouncing, with long and very wide sleeves. An overbodice in bolero effect is made of the georgette crepe, with two rows of tiny satin-covered buttons down the front. The long overskirt of the crepe shows the influence of the pannier inspiration in the folded drapery at each side. It is gathered at the waist line across the back and caught up to the underskirt at each side, below the drapery.

A wide crushed girde of soft satin fastens at the back, finished with two pointed ends less than a half yard in length.

Little capes of satin and others of tulle are shown among the new accessories. Capes like these in size and shape appear on frocks and coats, in the same color as the garment, but the separate cape is in white or a light color. Since silks and satins are made washable, these light colored

collars, the high ones will be of the convertible order, for who wants to swathe the neck in humid weather? New knitted materials form smart sport suits. Glazed kid trims many suits and is used in combination with velvet and cloth when it does not form whole garments.

Small Hats. The spreading wings of the new plane must have been the motif for a smart little close-fitting hat seen a short while ago. Its dark velvet brim was offset with a light-colored stitched crown, which was finished on a point and lapped over the front in envelope fashion. The spreading wings were of a vivid red, which gave a snappy appearance to the hat.

White Marquisettes. White marquisettes with embroidered dots or rings are thirty-eight inches wide. These are among the most popular of the dressy white materials for sheer frocks.

Suit Jackets are somewhat shorter. They have belts and pockets; also flaring tails. Picot-edged tulle as well as tulle pinked as to edges forms a subtle tute for the inevitable fur trimming.

## The Kitchen Cabinet

In this world a great deal of the bitterness amongst us arises from an imperfect understanding of one another.

Energy and determination have done wonders many a time.—Dickens.

Why then, my friends, is this time to smile again.—Shakespeare.

### THE LUSCIOUS PRUNE.

Prunes are so wholesome, so easy to prepare and without so reasonable in price that they should be served often in families where there are children and workers who take little active exercise.

Prune Sandwich.—Remove the pits from prunes that have been soaked over night, then gently simmered until tender. Do not add any sugar, as there is plenty of sweetness in the fruit itself. Press through a sieve and mix with a few chopped nuts; spread on buttered bread.

For a delicious dessert, take this prune pulp prepared as above, mix with a little sweetened whipped cream and heap on rounds of sponge cake that have been soaked in a little of the prune juice. Sprinkle with chopped nuts and garnish with a fine shapely prune.

Prune Pudding.—Mix well two beaten eggs, a pint of milk, a cupful of prunes that have been stewed and pitted, a cupful of bread crumbs. If sponge-cake crumbs are used no sugar need be added; if bread, add sugar enough to sweeten, and a pinch of salt. Bake in a slow oven until firm. Serve with whipped cream or a lemon sauce.

Prune Jelly.—Stew two cupfuls of well-washed prunes that have been soaked over night, until soft; pit and press through a colander, and add an ounce of gelatin that has been softened in cold water to cover; add lemon juice and sweeten to taste; then add a half cupful of boiling water; turn out to mold and set. It has been well received and the gelatin thoroughly dissolved. Serve with sweetened whipped cream.

Prune pie may be served in more than one way. Bake a shell, fill with the stewed fruit, cover with a meringue and brown in the oven. Or put into an uncooked pastry shell, fill with prunes, cover with latticed strips of pastry and bake. Serve with whipped cream or a meringue.

Stand by your work and be wise, getting on with your work, not looking back, but in the world of men.

Being neither children, nor gods, but men in the world of men.

Don't give all your smiles for the mirror. Use a few in the kitchen.

SAVORY GAME DISHES.

The household where game may be served is indeed a fortunate one, providing the cook has the proper appreciation for the wonderful flavor that right cooking and nice seasoning will produce. The true hunter enjoys the game flavor of all kinds of meat, and does not wish it removed. A wild duck, if not old, will never be more palatable than when baked with a bunch of celery or an onion for stuffing.

Broiled Quail.—Clean the bird and cut from the back of the neck down the back, lay open and remove the contents of the inside, wash well and sprinkle with salt and pepper, brush with melted butter and broil over a clear fire fifteen minutes, turning frequently. Serve garnished with currant jelly. Such dish is indeed food fit for the gods, but adored by mortals.

Roast Wild Duck.—Clean and truss the duck and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Cover the breast with slices of salt pork, cut thin. Place on a rack in a dripping pan, add a little water to the pan and place in a hot oven to cook for half an hour, basting every five minutes with the water in the pan. Remove the pork and serve with currant jelly. One may use stuffing of various kinds; but the flavor of the meat is better, so our epicures say, if the bird is not stuffed.

Venison Steak.—Wipe the steak with a cloth, wring out of cold water. Place the steak into a hot buttered broiler and broil, turning every ten seconds until well seared over, then turn occasionally until cooked. Venison should always be served like beefsteak, rare. Serve with wild grape jelly that has been sliced. Roast

Botanical Phenomenon.

A remarkable botanical phenomenon is the fact that while the state of Wisconsin has been plentifully supplied with hemlock, Minnesota, for many miles separated from its neighbor by nothing but the St. Croix river, has almost none of that timber, except one tiny spot of 240 acres.

Optimistic Thought.

It is not the greatness of a man's means that makes him independent so much as the smallness of his wants.

Composition of Wheat Grain.

A grain of wheat is composed of four parts: the husk, which consists of five layers of bran; the cereal layer, a thin membrane inclosing the starch cells, and the germ. During the milling process the bran coats and the germs are removed.

Discontented Man.

Man is never quite content. If he has a corn he wishes it were a chameleon, and if he has a chameleon he wishes it were a corn.

enison is served as one does roast lamb.

Rabbit.—This is a delicious dish when a young tender rabbit is to be served. Wash and wipe the meat carefully, cut it up in serving sized pieces, brown in a little hot butter, then add water and a tablespoonful of vinegar or two, cooking slowly until tender. Thicken the gravy and serve as one does fricasseed chicken.

Life is not estimated by what you get out of it; it is to be estimated by what you put into it.—W. J. Bryan.

Unfinishing labor conquers everything.

### SOME CHOICE DESSERTS.

For very nice occasions one likes a dainty, pretty and satisfying dessert. Most of the following are too costly for every day use, but on rare occasions we may all indulge.

Nesselrode Fudding.—Make a custard of two cupfuls of milk, two cupfuls of sugar, five egg yolks, and a pinch of salt. Cook in a double boiler until smooth, strain and add a half cupful of pineapple juice, three cupfuls of cream and a pint of chestnuts that have been boiled tender and passed through a potato ricer.

Freeze as usual. When frozen, line a two-quart mold with part of the mixture, add to the remainder one cupful of candied fruits, finely minced; one half cupful of Sultana raisins and six chopped chestnuts (uncooked). Fill the mold and pack in ice and salt, let stand three or four hours to ripen. This quantity will serve 12 amply, and is entirely worthy the most exclusive of the rich.

Neapolitan Cream.—Make a custard using one cupful of sugar, two cupfuls of milk, five egg yolks and a half teaspoonful of salt, cook and strain. When cool, add two cupfuls of cream whipped; then add a fourth of a cupful each of chopped filberts, walnuts, almonds, and hickory nuts, a teaspoonful of almond extract and the well beaten whites of the eggs folded in. Freeze as usual and allow to stand for four hours.

Pistachio Ice Cream.—Pound four ounces of the blanched pistachio nuts in a mortar, add a few drops of rose water to form a paste. Add one cupful of cream and one of sugar. Mix all together with another cupful of sugar and three cupfuls of cream, six eggs. Cook until smooth and thick. Then freeze as usual.

There are two days about which a man should never worry and that are yesterday and tomorrow.—Robert J. Harbison.

Each day the world is right now to him who lives it rightly.

NOURISHING SOUPS.

There is no dish which touches the spot when one is tired as a hot satisfying soup. To serve a well-seasoned soup, attention must be paid to its preparation and the combination of seasonings.

Just a pinch of a grain of some seasoning makes or mars the dish. Follow directions when you find the kind your family enjoys. Use a few in the kitchen.

Emergency Soup.—Take a can of salmon, drain off the oil and rub the fish through a sieve. Add one and a half teaspoonfuls of salt to a quart of scalding hot milk, stir in the fish and four tablespoonfuls of flour that has been blended with two tablespoonfuls of the oil from the can; cook until smooth and serve with a dash of red papper and a sprinkling of minced parsley on the top of each cup. Serve with toasted crackers.

Corn Chowder.—Fry a half pound of dried salt pork in a big saucepan until brown; add one sliced onion and cook until light brown; then add four sliced potatoes that have been par-boiled ten minutes, a can of corn and a pint of boiling water; cook until the vegetables are tender, then add a quart of rich milk, pepper, salt and a half dozen crackers which have been soaked in a little milk. Serve with a cracker on each dish of soup. Cold fish may be used in this dish in place of corn and is a most satisfying chowder. Add the salt, fish, shredded and soaked, with the milk at the last.

Heidi Maxwell

Long-Lost Found.

"Ah see 'to 'housecleanin'!" said Mrs. Snow White. "Yes," replied Mrs. Marsh Green, "day is nothin' lak' now in 'things' round once in awhile. Why I des combercross a pair ob slippers under de bed dat 'Ah hadn't seen for five years!"—Dallas News.

Prevention and Intervention.

An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of intervention, but it must be used at the right time.—New York Sun.

From the Soil.

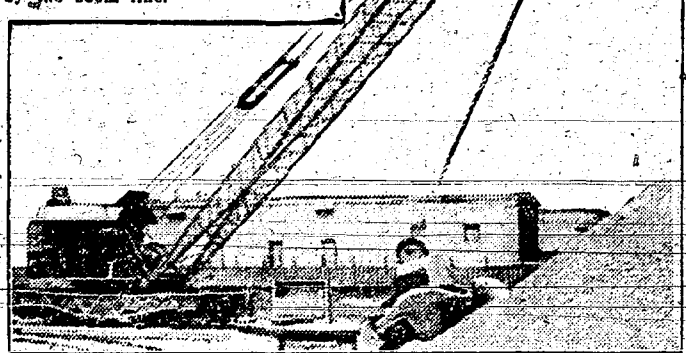
The Russian army is in the main a peasant army. Tartars, Little Russians, Finns, Lithuanians, Tcheovans, Kirgises, Esths, Poles and Circassians are all represented, but the mass of the soldiers come from the Krestjane, or peasant, classes.

Destroying Bad Eggs.

Millions of bad eggs are seized every year in London, and the way they are destroyed is to tip them out of their cases and run a steam roller over them.

## CRANE HAS ENORMOUS POWER

A locomotive crane provided with a swinging boom having a length of 85 feet, which is approximately 2½ times as long as the car upon which it is mounted, has recently been constructed, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. Although built more especially for long reaches than for hoisting exceptionally heavy loads, the machine is capable of lifting a weight of 35 tons when the truss is extended only slightly forward. It is used for general purposes, such as loading and unloading coal, crushed stone and sand, which is done by means of an ordinary clamshell bucket, and, with a heavy lifting magnet attached to its cables, may be employed in handling scrap iron. It is self-propelling, and crane and engine can be revolved in a complete circle and likewise operated at any point. Material beyond reach is dragged in by the boom line.



Although the Truss Boom of This Locomotive Crane is 85 Feet in Length, the Machine is No More Difficult to Operate Than an Ordinary Steam Shovel.

## TOOK AWAY HIS NERVE

RAILROAD MAN TELLS WHY HE QUIT THE BUSINESS.

Freightful Accident Averted Only by a Lucky Chance Gave Him a Dis-taste for the Work Which He Could Not Overcome.

The little group at the club were discussing the part that chance plays in our lives. Anecdotes followed anecdote, and at last someone said to Weedon, the great banker, who happened to be one of the party: "I have often heard you speak of the time when you were a railroad man. Was it chance that led you to give it up?"

"It's rather a long story," replied the banker, "but it falls in so pat with our conversation that I think I'll tell it."

"I was very proud of my promotion to be dispatcher at Winsor, for I got it after less than a year at the telegraph key. Winsor was a thriving little city, with some factories and a lively distributing trade, and the yards were always busy. There was a fine barren west of us, almost without a house for fifteen miles of up-grade, and I had to give trains their orders clear through to where the road lands again. At Gridley, twenty-five miles away, there was a turntable camp halfway between, called Porters, and a long siding; but there wasn't another agent or telegrapher, and this, you know, was before the days of double tracks or automatic block signals."

"Things went smoothly at first. I had already met a few nice people at Winsor, and the train crews were all friendly. The chief dispatcher, Harmon, at division headquarters a hundred miles down the line, helped me all he could do."

"One black May night he called me at about eleven. 'Tell Bryan to take Porter's siding and let McCluskey's train with an extra coal train,' was his message. 'So I set my light red against Bryan's train, the night freight westward, and soon I heard it come slowly into the yard. I had the order all ready for Bryan, the conductor, to take and sign for; and I waited there rather impatiently while the engineer made up his train. Harmon called me: 'Have you got Bryan's signals turned?' 'No, they're still drilling cars,' I wired back."

"Finally the train came slowly up toward my window. I picked up the orders, but was surprised to hear the sudden clank and jerk as the engineer pulled out the throttle. 'He's got cars to drill in the upper yard,' I thought. So I ran out and waited for the caboose lights to appear. 'Maybe Bryan will be on the steps,' thought I, and I held the orders up as the caboose approached. 'Not a soul there! As the caboose flew by, I shrieked: I ran after it; I stooped for a stone to throw, lost my balance, and fell while the train went out with ever-increasing speed into the black pine wilderness. 'Stunned and bruised,' I picked myself up and ran to my key. 'Order out the wrecker!' I telegraphed Harmon. 'Bryan left against black without stopping.'"

"Gentlemen, you can imagine the next hour in that quiet, lonely little room. A score of times I saw that heavy coal train coming down the grade out of the mountains and plunging head-on into the climbing westward freight. Why I didn't take to the woods, I don't know. I got up to run a dozen times, but something held me to my key. 'Suddenly I heard a whistle. 'The wrecker!' I said to myself, 'but it's too soon for that, and it's the wrong direction.' That's toward Porter's. Thank God, it must be Bryan's train backing in.' I leaned far out of the window; there was the blaze of a

headlight up the line. I set the block against them, slowly the long coal train drew up along the platform, and I saw McCluskey drop off the train. 'McCluskey was no ghost.' He was a powerful, red-faced chap. 'What's up?' he said, as he came in. All I could reply was, 'How did you get here?' Those were Bryan's orders, and he didn't take them; and I handed him the sheets that Bryan should have stopped for."

"I shall never forget his face. I see it yet, with a sudden whiteness like flour or lime, coming over it; and I jumped up and caught him just as he keeled over. Pretty soon he came to. 'Say, boy,' were his first words. 'Bryan was on Porter's siding. We went through there sixty miles an hour, and off he went again. That time I had to work over him.'"

"Next day I went to headquarters. Bryan and his engineer swore they had a clear signal, and that I must have been asleep. Luckily, Harmon could testify that I was awake, and had answered him that I had set the signal against Bryan. For some reason I never understood, Bryan's flagman told the truth. Bryan had gone to sleep, and so had his engineer; and a young fireman, who was learning to run the machine, had the throttle. When the truth came out he testified that he was having trouble with the gauge; as he started out, back in the yards, and never thought of the signal at all. For the first time in weeks, they had a car to leave at Porter's siding; and to set it on the spur they had to back completely off the main line. The flagman heard McCluskey's train coming, threw the switch so that it would not take the siding, and it flew by without an inkling of the fate that it had missed."

"That, gentlemen, is why I gave up railroading."

"Safety First" in Railroading.

During 1913 we had occasion to discuss the partial showing of increased efficiency and greater safety in passenger train management, as disclosed in reports covering accidents and fatalities for less than annual periods. The spread of the "safety-first" idea was clearly to be seen in the reduced figures, and coincident with this, as we pointed out at the time, the large expenditures to which railway lines were putting themselves for improved equipments. The complete record for that year, now shown in the official figures, proves that equipment and efficiency, both cooperating toward the desired end of "safety first," have made it practically certain that the appalling records made by American railway lines in earlier years in comparison with those of Europe, are things of the past.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Risked Life to Save Deer.

The constant effort put forth by the forestry service of the United States to conserve the wild folk of the forests never was better illustrated than in the report which has reached Cincinnati from Hailey, Idaho. Hailey is near the Sawtooth forest, which is supervised by M. S. Benedict of the forestry service. Two deputy game wardens, John Davaney and J. C. Cummings, hearing of the desperate plight of a number of snowbound deer, actually risked their lives to go to the aid of the deer, and later requisitioned a local Sam for hay to feed the starving animals until such a time as they could recover their strength and be turned loose to forage for themselves.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

The Truth Oozes Out.

"Don't you believe it," said the sad-eyed man who occasionally lets out an audible thought.

"Don't believe what?" asked the party who was afflicted with the rubber habit.

"That a female of the species who has made up her mind to marry waits for long years to show up on the calendar before she proposes," replied the noisy thinker.

How Times Are Changed.

It was the gallant custom of Frederick the Great, when he met a woman walking on the street, to shake his stick at her and remind her that a woman's place was home.

If his ghost should take to the streets of Berlin in the year 1916, in the wee small hours when ghosts love to wander, he would be confronted by a woman night watchman, neatly uniformed and armed with a club which she would probably shake at the shade of the famous antifeminist, and invite him to follow his own precious advice to women, Judge says.

Patience—Will is a pretty smooth proposition.

Patience—Yes, when he don't forget to shave.

## Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and out, to feel clean inside, no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headaches, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must bathe on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your druggist or at the store. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sourish tinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and above all, keep it up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone-phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

Seasonable. Knicker—"What is a pessimist?" Hocker—"A man who believes the snow always drifts on his side of the street."

A GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. F. C. Case of Welcome Lake, Pa., writes: "I suffered with Backache and Kidney Trouble. My head ached, my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, was always nervous and tired, had a bitter taste in my mouth, was dizzy, had floating specks before my eyes, was always thirsty, had a dragging sensation across my loins, difficulty in collecting my thoughts and was troubled with shortness of breath. DODGE KIDNEY PILLS have cured me of these complaints. You are at liberty to publish this letter for the benefit of any sufferer who doubts the merit of DODGE KIDNEY PILLS."

DODGE KIDNEY PILLS, 50c. per box at your dealer or DODGE MEDICINE CO., Buffalo, N. Y. DODGE Dyspepsia Tablets for indigestion have been proved. 60c. per box.—Adv.

His Prospective Revenge. "You miserable faster!" we thundered. "Are you not ashamed of yourself?" We were in Oklahoma City last week, and there gave you a lesson on your plea that you wished to raise the price of a ticket to Fort Scott, where you had a brother-in-law. No doubt at Fort Scott you made the statement that your brother-in-law was here in Kansas City. Now you aver that he is in Moberly, and—"

"Yes, and beat him!" the wretch replied. "By the time I get there he probably will be in Keokuk. I have been chasing that fellow for months, and thus far he has managed to elude me. If I have any kind of luck I expect to catch up with him and pass him before he reaches Baffin's bay. Then I shall turn around and chase him clear down to Popoiaheapo, just to get even."—Kansas City Star.

A Light Dream. Prof. Utric Dahlgren of Princeton university predicts that the time will come when the deleterious substance of chemical composition carried by fireflies, certain fish and other animals, will be used for illuminating houses, etc. He believes that this will come about when the nature and proportions of the chemical constituents of these substances are discovered, and says they will give a light having an efficiency of 99 per cent instead of the 15 per cent produced by lights now in use.

STOPPED SHORT Taking Tonics, and Built-up on Right Food.

The mistake is frequently made of trying to build up a worn-out nervous system on so-called tonics.

New material from which to rebuild used up tissue cells is what should be supplied, and this can be obtained only from proper food.

"I found myself on the verge of a nervous collapse due to overwork and study, and to illness in the family," writes a Wisconsin woman.

"My friends became alarmed because I grew pale and thin and could not sleep nights. I took various tonics, but their effects wore off shortly after I stopped taking them. My food did not seem to nourish me. 'Reading of Grape-Nuts, I determined to stop the tonics and see what a change of diet would do. I ate Grape-Nuts four times a day with cream, and drank milk also, went to bed early after eating a dish of Grape-Nuts."

"In about two weeks I was sleeping soundly. In a short time gained weight and felt like a different woman. Grape-Nuts and fresh air were the only agents used to accomplish the happy result." "There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Bees read the above letter! A new one appears from time to time, and is genuine, true, and full of human interest.



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GRAYLING BABIES.

The two on the back row and one in the center of front row are Clayton Joy and Ruth Olson, children of Mr. and Mrs. James Olson, from Fox, left to right, Mary Estlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Schumann and Jane, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Koppert; Ruth Olson, baby Jane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Olson, and Virginia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hanson.

The first correct names submitted were by Miss Andy Teth, and almost at the same time came from Miss Minnie C. Olson, therefore we are contributing the prize instead of one.

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## Frederic School Notes.

There will be no more Literary society until after the first of April.

Liland Smock was absent from High school Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Teddy Callahan entertained the school for Monday morning exercises with a story.

Two new reports for the Victoria have arrived.

Arthur Cameron was a visitor in the Grammar room, Thursday.

The Grammar room made a study of how to prevent tuberculosis, last week.

The Third grade is reading, "Child Life in New Amsterdam."

The Fifth grade has taken up historical reading again.

Miss Cameron spent the week-end in Grayling.

Woodward was absent last week on the account of sore eyes.

The Fourth and Fifth grades had some good maps last week.

The Fifth graders are learning, "Paul Revere's Ride."

Five pupils were absent from the Primary room last week, on account of illness.

Linda Courtney, of the Second grade is visiting relatives in Cheboygan.

Carlie Brown of the Second grade is on the sick list this week.

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## Ladies--

If you want silk for a

## Dress or Waist

do not delay buying

as it will soon be im-

possible to get it at

any price. We have

yet a good assortment

at old prices.

## Selling, Hanson Co.

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## When to Take Chamberlain's Tablets.

When you feel dull and tired after eating.

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When you have indigestion.

When you are nervous or despondent.

When you have no relish for your meals.

When your liver is torpid.

Obtainable everywhere.

Rank Foolishness.

You occasionally see a man who looks like a fool.

That is rank foolishness. Were it true of us, it would be as prevalent in midsummer as in midwinter.

The microbe that causes colds, flourishes in damp, cold weather.

To get rid of a cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

It is effective and is highly recommended by people who have used it for many years as occasion required, and know its real value. Obtainable everywhere.

## Have Your Wall Paper Cleaned

\$1.00 a Room and up

Now is the time to get your wall paper cleaned so that your walls will be clean and neat for early spring. We clean your wall paper for a dollar a room and up, according to the size of the room. Calcimine wall also.

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Phone 613

## Some Special Prices

Mothers, think of buying your girls' latest style winter coats, ages 5 to 14 years, worth today \$4.50 to \$5, for

\$1.98 and \$2.48

Ladies, only a few coats left, baby lambs, \$10.00 values for \$5.85

A few corduroys, worth \$12 and \$14, for \$7.85

Men, only five overcoats left, \$6 values for \$3.98

Six Mackinaws, worth \$7.50 for \$4.98

Fine wool pants, \$3.50 values for \$2.88

A few men's rubbers, Hurons, \$1.50 value, \$1.19

Men's 4-buckle arctics, \$2.50 value for \$1.85

Men's arctics, \$1.00 value for 79c

Think of it. All \$2.50 men's rubbers, leather tops for \$1.94

Red 4-buckle arctics, 3.25 value for \$2.25

All red and black rubbers in the \$2.50 line for \$1.94

I have some bargains in all new fall goods. Come and get them.

Suit cases just arrived from New York. Come and look them over. Great bargains, as goods are gradually advancing in all lines. These goods are at this price for 10 days only.

Mothers, I have the celebrated Frankenstein school clothes for boys—two pair of pants, patch pockets, all the latest models—blues, grays and tans.

Watch my windows for Easter Greetings.

## Frank Dreese

The Lemon Colored Store on the hill opposite the Court House



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For men who got away to a false start on a pipe or home-made cigarettes Prince Albert has a word or two for what ails their smoke appetites!

Forget you ever tried to smoke, for Prince Albert is so different, such a fine flavor, so cool and cheerful and friendly, you'll get a new idea of smoke-joy! The patented process fixes that—and cuts out bite and parch!

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Get the idea of smoking all you want without a comeback—that's P. A.

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On the reverse side of this slip red ink will tell you the process patented 1917, 1918, 1919, which has made three men smoke pipes where one smoked before!

## KEEPING THE SKIN SMOOTH

Proper Care of the Neck and Shoulders is a Matter of the Utmost Importance.

To wear a collar is very trying for many women. This season, with the present styles which permit no sleeves and a very low-cut collar, the woman whose neck is not beautiful cannot appear at her best.

The woman who wears a delicate necklace must have a soft, smooth skin and neck. Shoulders and arms that are well curved.

Proper care of the neck and shoulders keeps the neck and shoulders well opened and the skin in a healthy condition. Sunbaths are also desirable, and also salt dips whenever possible.

A diet of proper foods will keep the digestive tract in good condition and eliminate any eruptions on the neck or any part of the body. A little pure cold cream applied to the skin will soften it.

If the neck seems to be puffy, the pulse of the larynx is a harmless and effective bleach. For the woman whose neck is not well-filled, breathing exercises are recommended. Filling the lungs with good, pure air daily will help to round-out the neck.

## HEALTH AND BEAUTY

Do not neglect to brush and comb the hair and massage the scalp merely to save a curl or wave.

An iron that is heated to the right degree may not injure the hair. The use of keds is always safe, although the process of curling or waving takes more time.

People who are "run down" are particularly subject to chilblains, in cold weather, so it is essential to keep fit. Have a tonic made up if you feel below-par. Eat good, nourishing food.

Warm underclothing is an essential to health. Sufferers from chilblains on the feet have found the wearing of good cotton stockings, as opposed to woolen, most beneficial, especially if they have to do a great deal of walking.

Coats for Girls.

Schoolgirls are wearing good-looking sport or "skating" coats of soft, thick velours in checked pattern; and jaunty little hats and mufflers come to match.

One of these coats for a girl of fifteen is of green and white checked velours with big white ball buttons down the front and fastened with wide, loose belt. The coat has deep patch pockets and a muffler collar also closing with white ball buttons.

The muffler is trimmed with black tassels and the hat of black velvet with a rolling brim of checked velours.



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## Colds Make Backs Ache

MORE aching backs, more kidney troubles come in March, than in any other month. Slushy sidewalks, dampness, raw winds and sudden changes cause chills and colds. And chills or colds tend to hurt the kidneys. It is good sense to use a kidney remedy when recovering from a cold and at any time when suffering from a lame back, sharp pains when stooping or lifting, dizzy spells, irregular or annoying kidney action, and a run-down, nervous state.

Don't delay and take a chance of getting dropsy, gravel, Bright's disease or some other serious kidney disease. Use Doan's Kidney Pills, the best recommended, special kidney remedy. All over the world grateful people frankly praise Doan's.

### Here's What Michigan People Say:

Frank Mings, W. St. Joe St., Union City, Mich., says: "Some years ago I was injured and my back and kidneys were affected. Every time I caught cold it settled on my kidneys causing much misery from a lame back and pain through my joints. Doan's Kidney Pills have done me more good than any other kidney medicine I have ever used. They have removed backache and lameness and strengthened my kidneys."

Mrs. Mary McElhan, 324 Stark St., Saginaw, Mich., says: "When I overworked or caught cold my kidneys got badly disordered. My back used to ache intensely and I frequently had dizzy spells and felt tired and worn out. My doctor told me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I did. They regulated the action of my kidneys, strengthened my back and put me in good shape."

## DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

At All Stores, 50c a Box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

## COLT DISTEMPER

You can prevent this loathsome disease from running through your stable and cure all the colts suffering with it by using COLT DISTEMPER. It is a powerful disinfectant and kills the germs that cause the disease. It is safe to use on any colt. It is wonderful how quickly it cures the disease. All good druggists and turpentine houses and manufacturers sell COLT DISTEMPER at 50 cents and \$1 a bottle. \$5 and \$10 a dozen. SPOLIN MEDICAL CO., Cincinnati and Bacteriologists, Goshen, Ind. U. S. A.

No Terrors for Him. Recruiting Officer: You realize the dangers before you? You are not afraid of having horses shot under you?  
Society Recruiter: Me? I had two motor boats explode under me, three autos start over me and an aeroplane fall with me during the past social season alone.—Puck.

## SWAMP-ROOT STOPS SERIOUS BACKACHE

When your back aches, and your bladder and kidneys seem to be disordered, remember it is due to kidney trouble. Get the nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. It is a physician's prescription for diseases of the kidneys and bladder.

It has stood the test of years and has a reputation for quickly and effectively giving results in thousands of cases. The prescription was used by Dr. Kilmer in his private practice and was so very effective that it has been placed on sale everywhere. Get a bottle, 50c and \$1.00 at your nearest drug store.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

The Reason. "It is queer you did not notice how the wind was howling last night."  
"So was the baby."

## FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These. There is no longer the slightest need of fearing a freckle. Freckles are caused by a condition of the skin which can be removed by using Freckle Remover. Freckle Remover is a powerful skin cleanser and removes the freckles from your face. Freckle Remover is a powerful skin cleanser and removes the freckles from your face. Freckle Remover is a powerful skin cleanser and removes the freckles from your face.

Appropriate Ejaculation. "Here somebody says that insanity is caused by bad teeth."  
"By gum!"

## FOR PLEURISY, BRONCHITIS AND SORE THROAT

Readers are advised not to dose the stomach. The best way to quickly overcome soreness in the throat or chest is to rub on true Mustine, which all druggists keep on hand in the original yellow box for about 25 cents.

It is quicker and more efficient than any liniment. Rub it on at night and blessed relief comes by morning. True Mustine is made by Begg Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y. It stops Rheumatic pains and Neuralgia almost like magic. There's blessed relief in every rub. It stops pain and congestion.

The little word "if" blunts the point of many a sound argument.

## Pale, Sallow Cheeks

show that the blood is impoverished and that the stomach is not properly assimilating its food. In fact a woman's physical condition always shows in her face. Paleness, blotches, pimples, sallowness or dull eyes all

## Tell the Need Of

Beecham's Pills. Women who are subject to these conditions should not fail to avail themselves of their prompt and beneficial effect. Beecham's Pills are prepared to furnish the necessary relief. They clear the system of impurities, gently stimulate the liver, regulate the bowels and tone the system. Their mild and thorough action quickly rid the skin of blemishes, improve the circulation and help the digestion. Every woman should know the comfort, and experience the help of

## Beecham's Pills

Sold by druggists throughout the world. In boxes, 10c, 25c. Directions of Special Value to Women with Every Box.

## SCANDINAVIAN NEWS

### SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN FAR OFF NORTHLAND.

### ITEMS FROM THE OLD HOME

Resume of the Most Important Events in Sweden, Norway and Denmark—Of Interest to the Scandinavians in America.

#### SWEDEN.

The lack of preachers in the northern part of Sweden is becoming so serious as to be little short of a public calamity. In the diocese of Herne, the bishop has often permitted laymen to preach in order that services of some kind may be offered. And of the regular pastors who are still serving, no less than 27 are more than sixty-five years old, so that they cannot serve much longer. Why is it so difficult to get younger men to serve as ministers? The pay is not liberal. But this is not all. The most serious trouble is that an intelligent and able man of our day finds it exceedingly difficult to square his conscience with the dogmatic demands of the orthodox church. Strange though it may sound, there is many a young Swede who cannot enter the ministry of the state church of Sweden for conscience sake.

The Swedish steamship companies running regular lines have raised their rates 20 per cent, making a total raise of 50 per cent since the beginning of the war. The regular lines are in a difficult position. The tramp steamers are free to charge as much as they please, and in some instances they have raised their rates 400 per cent during the war. The regular lines are not free. They have to supply the industries of the country at rates which the industries can stand. Now only the tramp steamers are free to raise their rates as much as they please, but the insurance rates have gone up by leaps and bounds on account of the risks caused by the warships of the belligerents.

Sweden imports about five tons of saccharine annually. This corresponds to 3,025 tons of raw sugar or 2,750 tons of refined sugar. The value of the latter is about \$240,000. It takes 100-lb. tons of sugar to produce 2,750 tons of refined sugar. In turn, it takes 1,750 acres to produce 20,300 tons of beets. If domestic sugar had been used in place of the five tons of saccharine the government tax on it would have been \$118,000. These figures were taken from a report made by a special committee of experts.

The king and the queen have consented to act as protectors of the Swedish Red Cross, and the duchess of Vastergotland has accepted the position of first honorary member of the organization. The president, Prince Carl, turned over to the organization \$5,000 which he cleared on the sale of a book on "The Royal Family." A donation of \$2,700 has also been received from a person who has withheld his name from the public.

The Swedish sugar trust has decided to pay about \$4 per acre more than the rates fixed in the contracts between the sugar beet growers and the trust. The trust had to take this step on account of the increased cost of fertilizers caused by the war.

A city charter was granted to the municipality of Trollhattan at the beginning of the new year. The event was hailed with great joy by the people, and New Year's night was spent in public demonstrations of different kinds. The new-born city has a population of 14,000.

Prof. Gilbert Murray of Oxford University, noted authority on Greek literature, will go to Sweden to lay the British view of the war before students at the invitation of the Swedish Union of student societies. His mission probably will extend to Norway and Denmark.

Sweden will be permitted to import larger supplies of coal from Great Britain than hitherto, under a fresh arrangement with the British government. In return, Sweden has consented to export certain articles, including pit props, to Great Britain. Sweden also will transmit goods for Russia.

The suburb of Bromma was incorporated into the city of Stockholm at the beginning of the year, making the population of the capital about 400,000.

A dispatch from Stockholm says Swedish importers have been notified that export of wadded goods from Germany will be stopped soon owing to lack of raw material.

The railway department has ordered 400 new railway cars from Swedish factories.

It is reported that an arrangement of the trouble between Sweden and Great Britain regarding Atlantic parcel-post traffic soon will be completed. It is also understood that the British-Russian agreement, which was signed by Sweden and now stored at Goteborg, will be released as soon as the Swedish-American line steamship Stockholm, now en route to New York, has passed the British Isles.

Joseph Kallman, a shipping broker in Goteborg, donated \$2,700 to the libel fund of the press of Goteborg.

William Ericsson, an engineer in Goteborg, has been making experiments with plants that can be raised in Sweden in order to produce some substitute for rubber. In view of the short time spent on this work the results are very promising. The plants most suitable for the production of artificial rubber belong to the family of compositae.

#### DENMARK.

The city of Aalestrup went dry by a vote of 436 to 193. There was only one saloon to close.

Consul P. Lauritzen of Esbjerg called the employees of the Vesterhavet Steamship company together before the end of the old year and handed each of them a thankbook, which was found to contain a gift of cash amounting to the salary for the past year in each case. Those who received the books agree that the war is not an unmitigated curse, for it was, of course, the war that made this princely gift-making possible.

The Danish farmers are now getting from 14 to 16 cents a pound for fat beef cows and steers. Hay and feed are also high, but it is admitted that the farmers can simply rake in money by raising beef stock.

The farmers of the island of Fyen are now getting 14 cents a pound for their tobacco. They had a big crop.

Early one morning Marinus Knak noticed a marine mine at Lilore. The waves rolled it back and forth on the beach. He stopped to look at it for a while, but he knew it was a pesky thing, so he did not try to pick it up, but went on his way. He had walked less than a hundred yards when the mine exploded. The concussion was so violent that he was knocked to the ground, but he escaped without injury.

#### NORWAY.

Kari Olsdatter Engum (Thun), Balesstrand, Sogn, was one hundred and three years old "about" January 29. The parish records show that she was baptized February 25, 1812. The date of her birth is not given, but it is known from other sources that she was five weeks old when baptized. She had to leave her home and be thrown upon the mercy of the world at a tender age. At the age of twenty she married a tenant farmer. Her husband did not live long, and she had to support three small children single-handed. She proved to be very able, and performed her allotted task with signal success. Her health was far above the ordinary, and her back was untroubled until she had completed a century. During the summer season she took care of a large herd of stock in the mountain pastures until she was eighty-five years old. She is still out of bed more or less every day. She has grown thinner during the last few years, she is no longer sure-footed, and her hearing and eyesight are somewhat impaired. But she is still hale and hearty, and her mental faculties are keen.

H. H. Bruun, Norwegian minister to the United States, recently expressed himself as follows with regard to Norway: "We want to maintain our complete neutrality and our friendly relations with all powers and we hope to succeed in doing so. Norway is rapidly becoming an industrial country. It is changing from a pastoral country. The people are developing the vast water power resources and factories are springing up everywhere. The change has come in the past decade. As the needs of the world have changed, the people of Norway have adapted themselves to meeting those needs." Emigration to America will not increase to any great extent, according to Mr. Bruun. "We do not want to lose our people, but, of course, if it is found that we have no room for them or labor for them, we would rather have them come to the United States to live."

The Alexandra hotel, the only one in the city of Sandnes, has been closed because its proprietor thought that the people of the place did not appreciate his services as they ought to. It is now practically impossible for strangers to find a place to stop overnight. Fortunately, however, there is a chance to take a train for Stavanger in the evening and to return in the morning.

The great wireless station at Jaderen was fast approaching its completion at the outbreak of the war. That stopped the work. Now it is said that the station will be ready for service in the near future. England has at last permitted the exportation of the machinery ordered for the station before the war. A representative of the Marconi company is present all the time to assist in erecting the structure.

The city of Haugesund had 1,233 inhabitants at the beginning of the year. The females constituted a majority of 1,049.

Karl Storebraaten of Gol, Hallingdal, died at the age of one hundred and a half years. She was intensely interested in everything going on around her until the very last.

Ludvig Schmelok, city chemist of Christiania, died at the age of fifty-eight and one-half years.

The heirs of Rasmus Meyer have given his entire collection of paintings and etchings to the city of Bergen. There are about 600 paintings by Norwegian artists, and the gift comprises the largest private collection of its kind in Norway. The collection is said to be worth about \$300,000. The building in which the paintings are kept is a part of the gift.

Johannes Dalloisen and wife Katrina, of Rolvsøy, near Fredrikstad, have celebrated their iron wedding. They are both eighty-six and one-half years old. Johanne is still doing some work and Katrina fetches the milk and prepares the meals for the couple. They have had eight children, six of whom are still living. It is known that they have 40 grandchildren and 38 great-grandchildren.

Ole M. Langseth of Faaberg sold a three-year-old stallion for \$2,000.

## LETTER FROM STATE CAPITOL

### THE GOVERNOR TO BE ELECTED WILL HAVE SOME PLUMS FOR DISTRIBUTION.

### "WETS-DRYS" IN FACTORIES

Payments Under the Mothers' Pension Act and Various Matters of Interest Gathered in Lansing.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

Lansing—There will be plenty of political patronage during the next two years to be distributed among the faithful a newly elected governor, but inasmuch as most of the appointive officers are now under democratic control, it is not considered likely that there will be many changes in the various departments should Governor Ferris be re-elected for a third term. Should the republicans be successful in their attempts to elect a candidate this fall, the office of the insurance commissioner would again be under republican control. This office pays \$2,500 per year and the appointment is good for two years. Commissioner Winship's term will expire June 30, 1917. A republican governor could also appoint a state labor commissioner as Commissioner James Cunningham's term will expire at the same time as that of the insurance commissioner. The salary of the labor commissioner is \$2,500 per year and there will be numerous deputies and inspectors to be appointed also.

The term of Daryl and Eud Comishaw will expire January 1, 1917. The term of George B. Horton as a member of the state tax commission will expire January 1, 1917. Horton is a republican. This office pays \$2,500 per year and a republican governor would have the privilege of re-appointing the present incumbent or selecting another republican for the place. The other members of the commission, Thomas Kearney and O. J. Hannan, are democrats, but Kearney's term will not expire until 1919 and Commissioner Hannan's term will not expire until 1921.

The term of Lawton T. Hemans, chairman of the state railroad commission will expire January 1, 1921. Hemans is a democrat, and inasmuch as there is one other democrat on the board, it is generally believed that a republican governor would present another candidate for Hemans' position. This job pays \$3,000 per year. Chairman John E. Kinnane's term as a member of the industrial accident board will expire August 31, 1916. Kinnane is a democrat and if he is re-appointed in August his term will automatically expire with that of Governor Ferris. It is not considered likely that Kinnane would be re-appointed as there is another democrat on the board, Thomas Gloster, of Detroit. There will be two appointments on the state board of health as the terms of Dr. J. H. Kellogg and Dr. H. S. Bartholomew will expire in 1917. This is a non-salaried board.

Among the other non-salaried jobs where a republican governor will have an opportunity to make appointments are: Two members of the state board of library commissioners; two members of the state pardon board; one member of the board of fish commissioners; one member of the state stock sanitary commission; two members of the state veterinary board; two members of the state board of law examiners; two members of the state board of dental examiners; five members of the state board of registration in medicine; two members of the state board of osteopathic registration and examination; two members of the state board of accountancy; one member of the board of examiners in optometry; two members of the board of registration of architects; two members of the board of examiners of barbers; two members of the Michigan historical commission; one member of the state board of mediation and conciliation; one member of the Mackinac Island Park Commission; two members of the teachers' retirement fund board; two members of the Michigan College of Mines; one member of the board of trustees of the Michigan School for the deaf; two members of the board of control of the Employment Institution for the Blind; one member of the board of control of the state public school; one member of the board of control of the Industrial School for Boys; one member of the board of control of the Industrial Home for Girls; three members of the board of control of the Michigan Soldiers' Home; two members of the Kalamazoo State Hospital board; two members of the Pontiac State Hospital board; two members of the Traverse City State Hospital board; two members of the Newberry State Hospital board; one member of the Lapeer Home and Training School board; one member of the board of control of the Michigan Farm Colony for epileptics; one member of the Ionia State Hospital board; one member of the Jackson prison board; one member of the Marquette prison board; one member of the Ionia prison board; two members of the board of inspectors of the Detroit House of Correction; two members of the Howell Sanatorium.

Corporation Withdrawn.

Secretary of State Vaughan has received notice that the St. Ignace Land & Development company, has filed articles of withdrawal, as a Michigan corporation. At the request of an Indiana woman who invested her savings in this company, Attorney General Fellows was making an investigation of the affairs of the company, and Gov. Ferris was planning to send experts to Mackinac county to appraise the land.



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